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in Poznan**

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1. The J. Stalin factory in Poznan has now been turned over to military production. Departments W-3, W-4, W-5, W-6, W-7, and W-8 are particularly affected and their production is entirely in the hands of the Soviet directors at the factory.
2. The following items are manufactured here: <sup>1</sup>
  - a. Gun barrels: these are 7 meters long and the caliber, though unspecified, is much greater than that of field artillery.
  - b. Tanks.
  - c. Other heavy weapons.
  - d. Ammunition: this is produced by one or two departments, and the cars in which it is loaded are labelled "CIETE MEBLE".
3. The factory is suffering from a severe shortage of timber, which the Polish forests are in no position to supply.
4. In 1953 the factory is sending 28 passenger coaches and 18 small locomotives to the USSR monthly. Last year 36 cars were delivered each month.

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